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Washington, D.C. 20231

NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s): Gene L. Cuenot

For (title): METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A BOOT SEAL

Enclosed are:

1. Papers Required for Filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

21 Pages of specification

1 Pages Abstract

4 Pages of claims

6 Sheets of drawing

formal (Figs. - )

informal

In addition to the above papers there is also attached: Information Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449 form with references (21)

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date July 13, 2001 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number EK956010621 addressed to the: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington D.C.

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- Enclosed (Executed)  
 Not Enclosed.

3. **Language:**

- English  
 Non-English  
 A verified English translation of the  
     specification and claims  
     declaration

is attached.

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**Assignment:**

- An assignment of the invention to TRW Inc.

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Total Claims	7	-20 =	X \$ 18.00	-0-	
Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	X \$ 80.00	-0-	
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any			+ \$270.00		

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- Amendment deleting multiple dependencies enclosed
- Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time

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